

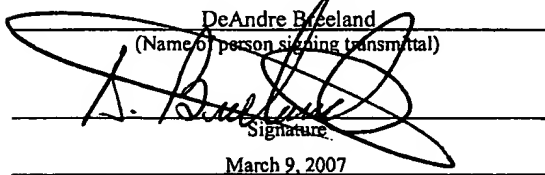
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**


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IDENTIFY RESPECTIVE PROGRAMS  
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In response to the Final Office Action dated January 17, 2007, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on April 17, 2007, please amend the above-captioned application as follows.